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NORTHEAST RECRUITS CANTON TECHNICIANS; TRANSFERRED SHANGHAI FACTORIES LISTED

OVER 1,000 SPECIALISTS SENT TO HARBIN -- Hong Kong Hsing-tao Jih-pao, 21 Mar 50

Canton, 20 March -- During the last few weeks more than 1,000 technical specialists have been recruited in Canton and sent to Harbin by the Ministry of Industry of the Northeast People's government.

It is reported that technicians must be recommended by a government agency above the ch'u level in order to be accepted. In practice, it seems that cadres on the haien level are the ones who most frequently make the recommendations. In addition to the usual required information about scholastic and technical qualifications, a careful check is also made of the political orientation of the candidates.

The beginning salary in most cases is around 600 "units" (fen). A unit is at present equivalent to about 1.36 Hong Kong dollars. After 12 years of service with a good record, a man may receive up to 1,100 units /This is presumably an annual stipend/. Many of the applicants seem to be former employees of the KMT government and army, pavy, and air force personnel who have become unemployed as a result of the reverses suffered by that government.

The closing date for recruiting in the Canton area was originally set at 25 March, but because of the large number still wishing to apply, a request has been wired to the Northeast government for an extension of time.

67 INDUSTRIES MOVE INLAND -- Hong Kong Wen-hui-pao, 12 Mar 50

Canton -- According to Shanghai reports, 67 factories have already moved inland, or have made preparations to move, since the development of the project to move industries out of Shanghai and ... environs. The name, type, and point of origin of the factories are indicated below:

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Cotton Spinning and Weaving (20 plants)

Shanghai:

Kuo-hsin Chin-hua Hsin-ho

Hsin-chung (New China)

Ta-feng Shen-wu Ying-feng Huan-ch'iu Ching-fu Ch'ing-ch'eng

Wu-hsi:

400

Hsin-i T'ien-t'ung Chin-hsin Chen-hsin Chin-hsing Ho-hsin

P'u-tung /area of Shanghai7: Li-min

Ta-ch'ang:

Ch'eng-te T'ai-ts'ang Yung-t'ai

Electrical Apparatus (11 plants)

Electrical Machinery:

Ya-chou (Asia) K'ai-ling

Hsin-an

Hua-mei (China-America)

Light bulbs:

Ya-mei (Asia-America)

Ta-tung

Others:

Hua-fu Electrical Apparatus Plant Wei-ch'ang Machinery Plant Hsin-hua (New China) Nail Factory Chung-kuo (China) Screw Factory Chung-hua (China) Screw Factory

Cigarettes and Matches (20 plants)

Cigarettes:

K'ang-lo Hua-fei Lung-hua

Hsin-hua (New China) Chung-mei (China-America)

Min-chung Hua-ting Chin-hua Chi-shih Hsin-yeh Ta-yun-lung

Matches:

Hsin-hsin

Hsin-hua (New China)

Fu-ch'ang

Chung-kuo (China)

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Hsin-sheng Yuan-tung Jui-shih Ch'uan-ch'ang Cheng-ming

Cultural and Printing (8 plants)

Pencils:

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Chung-kuo (China)

Shanghai Chiang-chiang (m

Ch'ang-ch'eng (The Great Wall)

Printing:

Mei-lo Wen-i I-ch'eng

Others:

Sau-ta Corporation

Kuan-lo-ming Fountain Pen Plant

Pharmaceuticals (4 plants)

T'ien-feng Jen-ho Hsin-i Sheng-hua

Miscellaneous (4 plants)

Glass:

Chung-yang (Central)

Sheng-sheng

Others:

Ta-chung Glue Factory Hsiang-lan Toothpaste Plant

In this group of 67 plants, some have moved in their entirety and some have established branch plants.

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